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Kim Wilson Martinique Mining Corporation P.O. Box 204 Hanksville, Utah 84734

Subject:

Division Directive to Provide Adequate Surety or Reclaim, Martinique Mining

Corporation, Gold Queen/Million Dollar Gulch Mine, S/017/0035, Wayne County,

Utah

Dear Mr. Wilson:

There are deficiencies in your reclamation surety for the above referenced mine that needs to be rectified. The last surety estimate for the Gold Queen/Million Dollar Gulch mine was done in 2011 and escalated to 2014 dollars. The surety amount needs to be adjusted to account for changes in reclamation costs.

In a letter dated May 22, 2014, the Division notified you of the need to increase by the bond by July 31, 2014. As of today the Division has not received the bond increase.

Based on average reclamation costs, the surety amount needs to be increased from \$12,000.00 to either \$16,900.00 for a three year escalation or \$17,600.00 for a five year escalation. The average reclamation costs are outlined below:

Small Mine Operation Bond Calculation Worksheet S/017/0035 3-year escalation (2016)			
1st Acre Disturbance	1	\$8,000.00	\$8,000.00
Add'l Acres Disturbance	1	\$5,000.00	\$5,000.00
Mob/demob over 151-200 miles	1	\$3,900.00	\$3,900.00
TOTAL			\$16,900.00



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5-year escalation (2018)			
Item	Qty	Unit Cost	Total Cost
1st Acre Disturbance	1	\$8,300.00	\$8,300.00
Add'l Acres Disturbance	1	\$5,200.00	\$5,200.00
Mob/demob over 151-200 miles TOTAL	1	\$4,100.00	\$4,100.00 \$17,600.00

Within 30 days of receipt of this letter, you are hereby directed to:

• Revise your reclamation surety by increasing the amount to an appropriate level..

Failure to provide the amended NOI and update the reclamation surety as directed may result in enforcement action being taken by the Division which may include withdrawal of your permit and an order to commence reclamation of the site immediately.

If you have questions or concerns regarding this letter, please contact me at (801) 538-5261 or Wayne Western at 801 538-5263. Thank you for your help in completing this very important regulatory requirement.

Sincerely.

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